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October Fifth, 1904.

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Aug. 29, 1904—1f.

LANCASTER AND CHESTER RAILWAY

Schedule in effect Nov 29, 1904.
(Daily except Sundays)
WESTBOUND.

Lv Lancaster,	6:30 a.m.	4:00 p.m.
Lv Port Lawn,	6:49 a.m.	4:30 p.m.
Lv Busconville,	6:59 a.m.	4:45 p.m.
Lv Richburg,	7:05 a.m.	5:00 p.m.
Lv Chester,	7:30 a.m.	5:30 p.m.
Ar Charlotte, So R	9:55 a.m.	7:10 p.m.
Ar Columbia, So R	10:15 a.m.	7:30 p.m.
Ar Atlanta, S. A. I.	4:50 p.m.	
Ar Yorkville, C. & N. W.	9:35 a.m.	
Ar Gastonia, C. N. W.	10:30 a.m.	
Ar Lenoir, C. & N. W.	2:05 p.m.	6:00 a.m.

EASTBOUND.

Lv Len. A., C. & N. W.	2:30 p.m.	
Lv Gastonia,	5:30 p.m.	
Lv Yorkville,	6:23 p.m.	
Lv Atlanta, S. A. I.	1:00 p.m.	
Lv Columbia, So R	6:10 a.m.	
Lv Charlotte, So R	6:15 a.m.	
Lv Chester,	9:30 a.m.	7:30 p.m.
Lv Richburg,	10:10 a.m.	7:54 p.m.
Lv Busconville,	10:20 a.m.	8:00 p.m.
Lv Port Lawn,	10:39 a.m.	8:11 p.m.
Ar Lancaster,	11:00 a.m.	8:30 p.m.
Ar Camden, So Ry	1:55 p.m.	

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Happenings in The State.

As Chronicled by the Alert Correspondents of The Columbia State.

FELL FROM THE FOURTH FLOOR.

Spartanburg, Oct. 28.—As a result of a peculiar accident Mr. James Walker, an operative at the Spartan mills, lost his life in the mill building. The young man had quit work for the day and about the noon hour he went to the spinning room on the fourth floor of the building to put his overalls up in a kind of attic there. There is a steep ladder running up to this attic, and the distance from there to the cement floor beneath is about 35 feet. In some manner the unfortunate young man lost his balance and fell, his skull being fractured by the contact with the flooring.

CHILD MET HORRIBLE DEATH.

Leesville, Oct. 29.—While butchering yesterday Mr. L. P. Steadman's little 3 year-old child fell into a tub of boiling water and died from the effects of the scald this morning.

SAVES TWO FROM DEATH.

"Our little daughter had an almost fatal attack of whooping cough and bronchitis," writes Mrs. W. K. Haviland, of Armonk N. Y., "but, when all other remedies failed, we saved her life with Dr. King's New Discovery. Our niece, who had consumption in an advanced stage, also used this wonderful medicine and today she is perfectly well." Desperate throat and lung diseases yield to Dr. King's New Discovery as to no other medicine on earth. Infallible for Coughs and Colds. 50c and \$1.00 bottles guaranteed by Crawford Bros., J. F. Mackey & Co., and Funderburk Pharmacy. Trial bottles free.

Farmers Effect An Organization In Columbia.

Farmers of this State met in Columbia Wednesday evening to consider ways and means by which to improve the cotton situation. More than a hundred were in attendance from various parts of the State, and all seemed thoroughly intent upon promoting the interests of the cotton growers and the South.

The meeting was called to order by W. B. Harris, of Anderson and E. D. Smith of Lee, who stated that the object of the gathering was to formulate some plan for controlling the price of cotton.

N. C. Murray, of Texas, was present and spoke to the farmers. He is a representative of the Farmer's Co operative and Educational Association of Texas. He advocated the establishment of a secret organization and warehouse system, similar to that in vogue in Texas.

Most present, however, opposed this idea, and it was rejected. Numerous addresses were made, the purport of all being a plea to fix a standard price for cotton.

A permanent organization was effected with E. D. Smith, of Lee, as president, and John Cantey, of Kershaw, as secretary.

—Every voter should hunt up his registration ticket and have it certain and ready for November 8th.

Foley's Honey and Tar for children, safe, sure. No opiates.

England And Russia Reach An Agreement.

All danger of War Has been Averted.—To Arbitrate Disputed Points.

Details of the agreement between Russia and Great Britain upon a mode of settlement of the questions arising out of the firing upon British trawlers in the North sea by the Russian Second Pacific Squadron were supplied by premier Balfour in a speech delivered before the National Union of Conservative Clubs at Southampton last night. The ascertainment of the Hague peace conference will be through the coroner's inquest at Hull, an investigation by British board of trade and the examination of officers of Russian ships which fired upon the fishermen. In his speech Mr. Balfour ridiculed the official explanation of Admiral Rogostvensky, but praised the spirit in which the Russian emperor and government had met the crisis. The prevailing feeling is of belief that there no longer seems to be danger of war between the nations.

Mondon, Oct. 28.—All danger of war between Russia and Great Britain has been averted and the settlement of the only points in dispute regarding the attack by the Russian Second Pacific Squadron on British trawlers Oct. 21 has been referred to an international commission under the Hague convention.

A LOVE LETTER

Would not interest you if you're looking for a guaranteed Salve for Sores, Burns or Piles. Otto Dodd, of Ponder, Mo., writes: "I suffered with an ugly sore for a year, but a box of Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured me. It's the best Salve on earth. 25c at Crawford Bros., J. F. Mackey & Co., and Funderburk Pharmacy Drug Stores."

Twelve Prisoners Escape from Jail.

Valdosta, Ga., Oct. 28.—Early tonight 12 negroes in jail on felony charges effected their escape by cutting through three steel bars and picking a hole in the wall of the building. It is believed a saw was passed in to the prisoners by friends on the outside. Bloodhounds have been sent for and the trail will be taken by a posse as soon as the dogs arrive.

AN OLD TIME REMEDY.

Murray's Horehound Mullein and Tar has in it the purest of drugs. All of which were used by our parents and grand-parents. It is a combination so put together that it cures a cough right off. Nothing is better for all cases of coughs. Ask your druggist for it. They all have it. Get a bottle now and have it ready. Costs only 25c a bottle—extra large bottles—regular 50c size. Remember to ask for "Murray's" and take no other.

Greenville Firm Gets The College Contract.

The contract for the work on the building for the new Columbia college at Hyatt Park has been awarded to Grady & Jordan, contractors of Greenville. Much of the material is now on the ground and construction will commence at an early date. The buildings will be ready for occupancy by next fall.—The State

To Have Hearing.

Men Arrested For Lynching Make A Move.—Magistrate McCoy, of Berkley to Hear the Case.

Columbia Record.

The attorneys for the men now in the state penitentiary under arrest on the charge of being implicated in the Eutawville lynching have demanded a hearing before Magistrate McCoy, in Berkley County. The men have been in the penitentiary now for about two weeks, and it was expected that they would make some move toward securing their release about this time. The hearing is under Section 24 of the criminal statutes which relates to the hearing of persons under arrest for a capital crime and it is evident that the attorneys expect that a prima facie case cannot be made out by the State at the hearing. At a hearing of this kind it will be necessary for the state to put up Edwards who will be used as state's witness and it is thought that the attorneys for the defense are counting on the whole amount of evidence which the state has against the men being put out and in this way the plan of defense may be laid.

Of course it is not known how much evidence the solicitor has to the case nor how much the detective who worked on it for some time has secured, but the law makes it doubly hard for the state to hold one suspected of a crime by making the whole burden of proof rest upon the state even at a preliminary.

Governor Heyward has since the arrest of the men turned the whole matter over to the solicitor of the circuit Mr. P. T. Hilderbrand, as the case is now for the courts and juries to decide on and he of course, does not know of the plans for trial. As he was instrumental in the employment of a detective on the case he is naturally interested in the outcome and he is watching the case with interest.

TO CURE A COUGH

The coughs so prevalent these days usually develop before you realize what has happened. Now the best thing to do is to take the most reliable cough cure you can get. None better than Murray's Horehound Mullein and Tar. It is made of the purest ingredients and can be given to infants as well as grown people. Above all else IT CURES. You will find it at all druggists. 25c a bottle—extra large bottle.

Legal Hanging

Charlotte N. C., Oct. 28.—Ben Clark, colored, was legally executed at Shelby, N. C., this afternoon for the murder of Chief of Police B. E. Hamrick, on August 27th. The officer was shot in the jail and the negro seriously wounded by another officer. The execution was private, but 3,000 people surrounded the jail.

CASTORIA.
Bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*

In the neighborhood of ninety per cent of the whiskey sold by the dispensary is carried away by negroes; but that much of that actually bought by negroes is for white people there is no question. But few whites seem disposed to buy liquor direct from the dispensary. They prefer to get it through negroes.—Yorkville Enquirer.

A Mining Disaster.

Thirty to Sixty Men Lost Their Lives.—Explosion in Colorado.

Trinidad, Colo., Oct. 29.—From 30 to 60 men lost their lives in a terrific explosion which occurred at mine No. 3 of the Rocky Mountain Fuel and Iron company at Tercio, 36 miles west of Trinidad this afternoon. The exact number of dead may never be known, as the mine is burning and in all likelihood the bodies will be consumed. The mine in which the accident occurred employs 80 men and it is believed that at least 60 were in the mine at the time.

"The explosion, which resembled a volcanic eruption, caused the wildest excitement. Men, women and children rushed to the mouth of the tunnel and women whose husbands were in the mine had to be brought away by miners to prevent their being killed by deadly fumes coming from the mouth of the tunnel."

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Hester's Weekly Statement.

New Orleans, Oct. 28.—Secretary Hester's weekly cotton statement issued today shows for the 28 days of October an increase over last year of 449,000, and an increase the same period year before last of 390,000.

For the 58 days of the season that have elapsed the aggregate is ahead of the same days of last year 1,061,000 and ahead of the same days year before last 495,000.

The amount brought into sight during the past week has been 544,980 bales against 492,424 for the same seven days last year and 454,639 year before last.

Including stocks left over at ports and interior towns from the last crop and the number of bales brought into sight thus far from the new crop, the supply to date is 3,687,097 against 2,632,416 for the same period last year.

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The vicar of little Hutton, England, does not like makers of tombstones to cut their names on the stones, but allows them to do so on stones placed in his graveyard if they pay \$2.50 for the advertisement.

A german decorator was so fond of reading his Bible in working hours that the foreman took it away from him, and found between the leaves a large amount of gold leaf. The man had been stealing regularly.

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